



PEELING THE MANILA OR PHILIPPINE MANGO.

(*Mangifera indica* L. See S. P. I. No. 46238.)

This valuable seedling race was brought to Mexico from the Philippines and is now grown in several parts of that Republic, as well as in Cuba and southern Florida. It comes true from seed, and the fruit is nearly free from fiber and of excellent quality. In regions where budded or grafted plants of the best Indian mangos are not obtainable seedlings of the Manila race should be planted extensively. Their fruits are nearly as good as those of the best Indian varieties. (Photographed by Wilson Popenoe, Tehuantepec, State of Oaxaca, Mexico, June 24, 1918; P17506FS.)